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| MEMORANDUM FOR: | Project Directo | r                |
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| ATTENTION :     | :               | 25X <sup>-</sup> |
| SUBJECT :       | M and N Racks   |                  |

- 1. In view of the growing importance of System IV operations, we are committed to getting out three sets of M and N Racks just as soon as possible. The distribution of these, in order of priority, is as follows: a) Barton Hall, b) NTPC, and c) SAC. Although SAC will, of course, be paying for its own equipment, we are responsible for seeing that what it gets is right to do the job.
- 2. Fulfilling our committments means that we must have a full M and N set-up at Barton Hall as soon as possible. Barton now has an M Rack, but I am informed that the prototype N Rack shipment is being held up at R-W. Until we get the N Rack no final acceptance tests can be made on the M-N equipment and analysis of System IV tapes will be hampered.

RECOMMENDATION: Project Headquarters ask R-W to ship the prototype N Rack to Washington as soon as possible.

